# KETCHAM INN GARDENERS UPDATE

An update for our gardening volunteers









Food Pantry Donations



# Community Garden Update

Check out the difference in the garden between early June and August! The health of the garden is astounding, and the yield is really unbelievable. We have grass clippings covering all the beds as of now

We became aware that the Presbyterian Church Food Pantry has doubled in need this past year, don't have enough donations to keep up, and have had to dip into meager savings to try and help. You all answered the call, and we were able to donate 60 pounds of nonperishable food items to the pantry. Thank you for making the world a better place!!



### Havens Homestead

The native gardens at Havens are in bloom, and looking a special kind of fabulous. A special thanks to Jean B. and Kathy D. for all your hard work on this beautiful project. Also, the Colonial Kitchen Garden at the Inn is ready for the summer!



# Spotted Lanternfly Education

Susanne Jansson provided us with an information filled and thought provoking talk regarding the Spotted Lanternfly and it's potential impact, along with management strategies. Here she is pictured with two of our Founding Fathers, Mr. Jefferson and Mr. Madison!



# AHRC Community Partnership Update

Donna and Eileen are doing an astounding job with the AHRC clients. This week they helped to harvest produce, were very excited to participate, and especially LOVED the aroma of the harvested basil. And to top off their hard work, they had a snack of strawberry short cake!



### Ketcham Inn Gardeners Luncheon

Carmela, Eileen, Pauline and Carol are helping to organize another luncheon this year. It will be held in October. It promises to be a lot of fun, really looking forward to it. Stay tuned!

Sampling of Donations to Food Pantry and Garden Produce







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